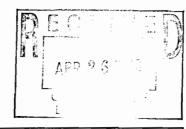


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In re Application of Ericsson Inc., 09 Civ. 7076 (DLC) (MHD), related to United States v. ASCAP, 41 Civ. 1395 (DLC): Redactions of Ericsson's Interim Fee Response Papers

Dear Judge Cote:

Hon. Denise L. Cote

United States District Judge

United States Courthouse 500 Pearl Street, Room 1040

We write concerning the preparation of a public version of Ericsson Inc.'s response to ASCAP's interim fee proposal. We apologize for the time this process has taken. We have been conferring with counsel for ASCAP and three third-party music publishers regarding implementation of the Court's most recent order on redactions but have been unable to resolve certain disagreements.

Counsel for ASCAP and the publishers have requested several redactions to the papers that we do not believe have been approved by the Court's redaction orders. Although Ericsson does not take a position on these requested redactions, we do not wish to overstep the Court's rulings.

Enclosed is a copy of the interim fee response brief (there is no dispute about the Court's directions regarding redactions on the other related papers) and a chart of the requested redactions. The redactions that the parties agree have been ordered by the Court are highlighted in green in the brief and marked with green tape flags; the additional redactions requested by counsel for ASCAP and the publishers are highlighted in yellow and marked with yellow tape flags. We respectfully request guidance on the additional requested redactions and will, thereafter, promptly file a complete public version of Ericsson's papers and present the relevant unredacted pages to the Court to be filed under seal.

Respectfully submitted,

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cc: Counsel of Record

Enclosure

The proposed redoctions are
approved in their
enterity. The documents
may be filed in redocted
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